(b) if so, the names of the fertilizer plants which are proposed to be expanded; and

(c) the details of the expansion plan drawn up by those fertilizer plants?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a)to (c) Under the Industrial Policy Statement of July, 1991, the fertilizer industry has been delicensed. Details of the expansion projects in public/ cooperative sectors approved by the Government are given hereunder:

Sl. No.	Name of the Unit & Location	Estimated Capital cost	Additional Capacity Created		Zero Date of the Project	Likely date of commissioning of the Project
			Product	Quantity		
		(Crores Rs.)	(in lakh TPA)			
1.	IFFCO—Aonla (U.P.)	960.0	Urea	7.26	30-9-1993	01-01-1997
2.	NFL, Vijaipur (M.P.)	987 30	Urea	7.26	30-9-1993	01-01-1997
3.	MFL, Manali (T.N.)	487.47	Urea	1.94	01-01-1993	30-6-1996
			NPK	3.00		
4.	IFFCO, Phulpur (U.P.)	993.60	Urea	7.26	20-4-1995	20-01-1998
5.	IFFCO, Kalol (Gujarat)	119.08	Urea	1.50	01-03-1995	01-09-1997

The Board of Directors of National Fertilizers Ltd. (NFL) have, in principle, approved a proposal to expand the capacity of their Panipat and Nangal plants by 7.26 & 1.81 lakh MT per year of urea, respectively.

The Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Ltd. (IFFCO) have also proposed a project to expand the capacity of their Kandla plant to produce an additional 2.11 lakh MT of phosphate nutrient.

In addition, a Detailed Project Report for expanding the capacity of the Thal plants of Rashtriya Chemicals and Fertilizers Ltd. to produce an additional 3.9 lakh MT of urea per annum has been submitted to the Government.

Single ingredient formulation considered in Drug Policy

6592. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in framing new policy and preparing the list of drugs for price control, turn over of only single ingredient formulations have been taken into consideration;

(b) the company-wise turn over of bulk drugs Trimethoprim, Sulphamethoxazole, Pyrimethamine and Sulphamethopyrazine, imports and turnover of formulations company-wise during 1987-88 to 1989-90 year-wise;

(c) whether it is a fact that these drugs are not used as single ingredient

but in combination only and still the former two drugs have been included under price control whereas the later two have been ignored: if so, the reasons thereof; and

(d) whether Cetrimide and Chlorhexiding are used in combination only and if so, their turn-over in bulk form and in the form of brended products during the above period alongwith names of producers of formulations and monopoly situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) List of bulk drugs included under 1st Schedule of the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1995 has been drawn up by applying the criteria as laid down in para 22.7 of "Modifications in Drug Policy, 1986', across the board on the large volume of data, compiled by Expert Group on Turnover Issues of Standing Committee in respect of turnover of bulk drugs and that available from ORG-March, 1990 in respect of sales value of formulations based on that bulk drug, as supplied to retail trade by numerous formulators. Drugs having turnover of Rs. 400 lacs or more and not satisfying market competitions criteria and drugs having turnover of Rs. 100 lacs or more but below Rs. 400 lacs and having monopoly situation as per criteria have been kept under price control.

Turn over of various drugs

6593. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) the turn over of Ethisterone, Valporic, Acid, Dipvradimol, Triamcinolone, Norgestrol, Glybeclamide, Vitamin 86, Tinidazole, Allylestrenol and Norethisterone during 1987-88 to 1989-90, year wise;

(b) the turn over of the formulations based on these drugs as per ORG during 1989-90 company-wise;

(c) the main reasons for excluding each of these drugs from price control and whether it is fact that exorbitant prices for the formulations based on these drugs are being charged;

(d) the main reasons for excluding Diazepam from price control and whether any data of its production is available with Government; and

(e) the company-wise turnover of formulations based on this drug as per ORG during the year 1989-90?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) to (e) List of bulk drugs included under 1st Schedule of the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1995 has been drawn up by applying the criteria as laid down in para 22.7 of "Modifications in Drug Policy, 1986", across the board on the large volume of data, compiled by Expert Group on Tunrover Issues of Standing Committee in respect of turnover of bulk drugs and that available from ORG-March, 1990 in respect of sales value of formulations based on that bulk drug, as supplied to retail trade by numerous formulators. Drugs having turnover of Rs. 400 lacs or more and not satisfying merket competitions criteria and drugs having turnover of Rs. 100 lacs or more but below Rs. 400 lacs and having monopoly situation as per criteria have been kept under price control.

Petro-Chemicals Plant in Gujarat

6594. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE:

SHRI CHIMANBHAI HARIBHAI SHUKLA:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Gujarat has been constantly demanding for setting up of a petro-chemicals plant in the State: